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THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Applicant: B. Ryland Wiggs
Serial No.: 10/073,513
Filed: February 11, 2002
For: Closed Loop Direct Expansion Heating And Cooling System
With Auxiliary Refrigerant Pump
Group Art Unit: 3743
Examiner: Melvin Jones
Attorney's Docket No.: N8232
Customer No.: 23456

RESPONSE AND AMENDMENT

Mail Stop Fee Amendment
Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Dear Sir:

In response to the Office Action mailed June 8, 2004, please amend the above-identified application as follows:

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on 2 of this paper.

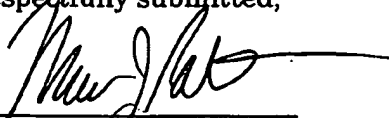
Remarks/Arguments begin on page 9 of this paper.

Pursuant to 37 CFR § 1.136(a), Applicant requests a three month extension of time from September 8, 2004 to December 8, 2004. Enclosed is a check for \$490.00 to cover the fee for the three month extension.

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The Commissioner is authorized to charge any deficiency or credit any overpayment associated with the filing of this Response to Deposit Account 23-0035.

Respectfully submitted,



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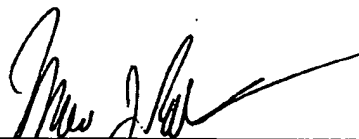
ATTORNEY FOR APPLICANT

CERTIFICATE OF FIRST CLASS MAILING

I hereby certify that this Response and Amendment, including a check in the amount of \$490.00 are being deposited with the United States Postal Service as first class mail in an envelope addressed to:

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Date